

National Association for Children and Safe Technology

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Dear Members:

We are pleased to announce two recent endorsements of NACST's *Turn It Off 4 Kids* Initiative - Susan Clarke, Founder of ENvironmental Health Advocacy LEague (ENHALE) and Deborah Kopald, MBA, Independent Consultant and Review Editor for Frontiers in Radiation and Health <http://www.corporateinterference.org/>. We are very grateful for their support.

NACST will release *The Anatomy of 21st Century Education, Part II* soon. This installment will explore the modernization of the E-rate Program, it's primary goal to support digital learning and the key entities responsible for driving this trend in our public education system. We look forward to making Part II available in the near future.

Wi-Fi In Schools and Libraries

26 August 2016

Safe Tech Schools For Maryland

Letter to All Superintendents and Chief Executive Officers Of the Public Schools In Maryland

<http://safetechforschoolsmaryland.blogspot.com/2016/08/letter-to-all-superintendents-and-chief.html>

Ronald M. Powell, Ph.D.

27 August 2016

California - The Fullerton Informer

The Wireless Nightmare At Troy High School (11:13 minute video)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JbjsMpPWn2s&feature=share>

Joe Imbriano

24 August 2016

Parents Across America

Parents' Digital Learning Opt-Out Form To Share

<http://parentsacrossamerica.org/parents-digital-learning-opt-form-share/>

Pure Parents

22 August 2016

The Heartland Institute

Michigan Diocese Adopts Classical Curriculum, Rejects Common Core

<https://www.heartland.org/news-opinion/news/michigan-diocese-adopts-classical-curriculum-rejects-common-core>

Ashley Bateman

17 August 2016

O'Dwyer's
Radiation Victim Escaped But Paid Heavy Price
<http://www.odwyerpr.com/story/public/7435/2016-08-17/radiation-victim-escaped-but-paid-heavy-price.html>
Jack O'Dwyer

"Georgia teacher Stephanie Dickerson has told how she became afflicted with electro-sensitivity..."

10 August 2016

UK - Clacton Gazette
Campaigner Wants Wi-Fi In Schools Banned Due To Health Concerns
http://www.clactonandfringtongazette.co.uk/news/north_essex_news/14671207.Campaigner_wants_Wifi_in_schools_banned_due_to_health_concerns/
Robbie Bryson

09 August 2016

Long Island, NY - The Southampton Press, [27east.com](http://www.27east.com)
Resident Calls For Wi-Fi Routers To Be Removed From Westhampton Beach Schools, Library
<http://www.27east.com/news/article.cfm/Westhampton-Beach-Surrounding-Areas/490338/Resident-Calls-For-Wi-Fi-Routers-To-Be-Removed-From-Westhampton-Beach-Schools-Library>
Erin McKinley

07 August 2016

Safe Tech For Schools
C-SPAN - US Presidential Candidate Jill Stein Speaks on Wi-Fi in School Health Risks
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=j2suVx9cDKw&feature=youtu.be>

07 August 2016

New York Post
It's 'Digital Heroin': How Screens Turn Kids Into Psychotic Junkies
<http://nypost.com/2016/08/27/its-digital-heroin-how-screens-turn-kids-into-psychotic-junkies/>
Dr. Nicholas Kardaras

May 2016

Massachusetts Institute of Technology
The Impact of Computer Usage on Academic Performance: Evidence from a Randomized Trial at the United States Military Academy
<https://seii.mit.edu/wp-content/uploads/2016/05/SEII-Discussion-Paper-2016.02-Payne-Carter-Greenberg-and-Walker-2.pdf>
Susan Carter, Kyle Greenberg and Michael Walker

"Average final exam scores among students assigned to classrooms that allowed computers were 18 percent of a standard deviation lower than exam scores of students in classrooms that prohibited computers."

22 August 2016

Electromagnetic Health

"For Parents to Know" Downloadable PDF Handout

<http://electromagnetichealth.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/08/For-Parents-to-Know-2-1.pdf>

Camilla Rees, MBA and Magda Havas, Ph.D.

21 August 2016

Environmental Health Trust

US National Toxicology Program Presentation To National Institute Of Environmental Health Sciences (50:03 minute video)

<https://www.facebook.com/EHTrust/videos/1225246617493800/>

03 August 2016

Observer Business & Tech

iPad Alert: What Exactly Is Your Tablet Doing To Your Kid's Brain?

<http://observer.com/2016/08/video-games-and-ipads-are-ruining-your-childs-brain/>
John Bonazzo

"Dr. Nicholas Kardaras argues that juvenile tech addiction is a public health crisis"

22 July 2016

Business Insider UK

Smartphones are causing a 'visual health crisis' in China

<http://uk.businessinsider.com/china-smartphones-causing-myopia-2016-7?r=US&IR=T>
Chloe Pfeiffer

13 July 2016

Screenagers | Growing Up In The Digital Age

Why Pokemon GO Is So Popular With Your Teen

<http://www.screenagersmovie.com/articles/why-pokemon-go-is-so-popular-with-your-teen>

Delaney Ruston, MD

2016

Environmental Health Trust

Wireless Radiation/Electromagnetic Fields Increases Toxic Body Burden

<http://ehtrust.org/key-issues/the-environment-and-health/wireless-radiationelectromagnetic-fields-increases-toxic-body-burden/>

11 July 2015

Chuck Matzker

Catherine Steiner-Adair on Protecting Childhood and Family Relationships in the Digital Age (19:10 minute video)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_ucEOmXMhq4

Catherine Steiner-Adair

Legal / Legislation

Summer 2016

Canada - C4ST (Citizens for Safe Technology)

Moms Who Care

<http://momswhocare.ca>

"Your Children Need Your Help! This summer, Moms across Canada are voicing their concerns to Health Minister Jane Philpott and their Members of Parliament."

19 August 2016

EMFacts Consultancy

Canadian Safety Code 6 Inadequacies Highlighted In New Report

<http://www.emfacts.com/2016/08/canadian-safety-code-6-inadequacies-highlighted-in-new-report/>

18 July 2016

Communications Daily

White House Unveils Wireless Research Initiative With An Eye Toward 5G

http://www.atis.org/01_news_events/.../CommsDaily7.18.2016.pdf

John Hendel

Articles / Various

24 August 2016

The Atlantic

All The Ways Your Wi-Fi Router Can Spy On You

<http://www.theatlantic.com/.../.../08/wi-fi-surveillance/497132/>

Kaveh Waddell

02 August 2016

ElectricSense

Wireless isn't Magic (05:00 music video)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cgUP6Afg800>

28 August 2015

Fox News Tech

A Woman's Sensitivity To Wi-Fi Prevents Her From Holding a Job

<http://www.foxnews.com/tech/2015/08/28/woman-sensitivity-to-wifi-prevents-her-from-holding-job.html>

Elizabeth Armstrong Moore

Thank you for being a part of NACST and good luck with your individual efforts!